

# McIntyre, Writer, Died a Small-Town Man at Heart

NEW YORK—New York has lost the dean of its day-by-day historians in the death of that eloquent boulevardier from the Ohio River town of Gallipolis—O. O. McIntyre.

Those of us who pored the Big Town in search of metropolitan copy saw little of O. O. McIntyre in recent years. He was a reclusive and inward man who clung closely to his luxurious apartment. But his truncheon from the hatpin which made him despondent. And so he was wont to climb into his automobile every day as dusk fell and ruminate about the town on wheels, observing scenes and people, in all corners of the city, for his daily essay.

He wrote about New York as his millions of faithful readers wanted him to write about it. He gave them a colorful cross-section of the most exciting city in the world. And though his critics may have carped about his

## Anxiety Grows in Troubled Europe; Others Watching

Great Britain Has Eyes on German-Austrian Situation

NEW POLICY FOR U. S. Washington Clamps Lid of Secrecy on Warship Building

By the Associated Press

Anxious Europe could not tell Wednesday whether a new upheaval in its backyard was a landslide or a mere shifting of sands.

Barriers of the Austrian cabinet against Nazi-legalized outlawed in Austria—were let down. More than 2,000 Nazi prisoners in Austria were liberated.

Peace of Austria and Europe are inextricably meshed. Germany wants a union with Austria.

In China Wednesday, an American woman missionary was injured when Japanese airplanes bombed mission boats on the Yellow river.

United States marines turned back an armed Japanese patrol which was attempting for a fourth time to enter the American defense sector of Shanghai's international settlement.

In Spain, government forces launched a new offensive thrust on the Aragon front.

Watches Austria's Fate

LONDON, England.—(AP)—The British cabinet Wednesday considered Germany's new thrust toward the absorption of Austria, but there was no indication that it was planning any active steps to prevent such an outcome of developments in Vienna.

The foreign office was in frequent consultation with Paris, but the London press, while reflecting British concern over the fate of Austria and other central European countries, also voiced a desire for a hands off policy.

Secret Warship Policy

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The United States navy clamped a lid of secrecy upon its warship building progress Tuesday, after revealing a publicity policy of 13 years standing. Whether the purpose was to keep certain data from foreign powers was not stated. Officials explained merely that the new policy was "in the interest of the public welfare."

Periodically, in the past, the navy had made public percentage figures showing how much progress had been made with the hull and machinery of ships under construction. Delays in construction were shown.

The monthly report issued Tuesday, and death with three-score men of war now being built, omitted these details. Observers understood the omission was part of a general tightening-up on information.

The possibility has been dismissed that the United States may join other powers in building battleships larger than the present treaty limit of 35,000 tons.

Japan has refused to comply with a request from the United States and Great Britain that she disclose whether she is building ships larger than 35,000 tons.

Tuesday's navy report listed 63 warships and two auxiliaries under construction, five fewer than a month ago. Since last month's report the light cruiser Brooklyn and other craft have been completed.

The January report had indicated that the completion of 15 destroyers and the aircraft carriers Enterprise and Wasp would be delayed.

The navy now has building, Tuesday's report showed, two 25,000-ton

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CRANIUM CRACKERS

Duke Atwood, the Ridge City Panthers' star right-hander, shut out the visiting Mt. Center Beavers on June 2, 1934, and then had an argument with his wife over her friendship for Stephen Dawes, a member of their bridge club.

A month later Duke won the fourth game of the series for the Panthers in the Beavers' park, 3-1. On August 2 Duke was sold to the Larks and the week following a line drive broke his pitching hand and he was retired for the rest of the season.

The following spring he won only two games for the Larks in the first two months of the season and was released. He dropped out of baseball in 1935, but staged a comeback the next spring. He signed with the Eagles and won his first seven starts for them. Then he was sold to the Bisons early in June.

On his way to join his new club, Duke stopped off in Chicago and watched the Cubs play. That night he was injured fatally in a taxi cab crash.

The widow produced a will dated at Ridge City, July 2, 1934. The document had been witnessed by Dawes and bequeathed Duke's estate to his widow. But the probate court discovered it was a forgery.

HOW DID THE COURT KNOW THE WILL WAS NOT GENUINE? Solution on Classified Page



O. O. McIntyre

"over-glamorization" of Manhattan, his pieces were teeming with incident, personal and public, with gossip, news and reminiscence and information.

Though the suspicion might have run that he made voluminous capital of his small town origin, those who knew him intimately say he was always sincere in his devotion to the folk of Gallipolis or any other hamlet of pocket size. His friends recall that he rarely skipped through a conversation without a nostalgic reference to his birthplace.

New York to Non-New Yorker

Outside of the metropolis, McIntyre was synonymous with New York, and in his personalization of its masses of stone and steel lay one of the secrets of his success. Then, too, he had the flair of evaluating the city in terms of Gallipolis, and every other small town.

And day by day readers could feel that with McIntyre, they were strolling down Broadway, seeing celebrities flash by, or were sitting at restaurants with the great or near great, or were eye witnesses to the breathless incidents that weave the tapestry of a day in the greatest city in the world.

For this magic touch, one could forgive McIntyre much—his 60 multi-colored dressing gowns, his 30 pairs of day pajamas, his 92 different perfumes and his flights of fancy.

Sometimes his column was a casual recital of a casual diary and McIntyre would wonder to his syndicate editors why anyone cared to read him. His own boss, Charles B. Durrell, said once that McIntyre never was convinced that he was a great man. And added: "He never believed he could write, and he never could see why other people read his stuff."

But it was one of his most disarming traits—a complete unawareness of his own eminence in the world of journalism. Or if he knew it—and presumably he must have—he managed to exclude it from any effect on his life.

Friend

McIntyre retained to the end—despite a decade of metropolitan newspapering—the unusual shyness that still marked him when he came to New York from Ohio. They like to recall how he used to shrink from meeting new people and literally force himself to converse with new acquaintances, although all his instincts told him that such shyness was contrary to what he represented. It was an abomination he never could overcome.

A friend of his who is standing nearby as I write this, looks up from the announcement of O. O. McIntyre's death and says:

"I know now why O. O. was so kind to me when I first started to work in Manhattan. He knew how it felt to be a New York outsider. And he knew the loneliness that can break a small town boy around here."

Funeral Planned

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio.—(AP)—Odd McIntyre's "neighbors" agreed that he would have wanted a simple, unpretentious burial, but his home Chamber of Commerce laid plans for one of its biggest civic observances in honor him.

The columnist's body will arrive here Wednesday from New York, where he died Monday. A Chamber of Commerce delegation will meet the casket at Huntington, W. Va.

Every minister in this town of 7,000 will take part in the funeral Thursday. Business houses, schools and public offices in Gallia county will close.

Negro Teachers Will Meet Here Saturday

A meeting of Hempstead county negro school teachers will be held at 1 p. m. Saturday at Yerger High School building, E. E. Austin, county school examiner, said Wednesday.

In addition to the business meeting, the theme of discussion will be the state and national problem of education, and what the school should do for the student.

Every negro teacher in the county is requested to be present.

It is estimated that a rocket ship powerful enough to leave the gravitational field of the earth, and return, would cost \$100,000,000.

# Hope Star

WEATHER. Arkansas—Probably rain in east and south with freezing rain in northwest portion Wednesday night and Thursday; somewhat colder with temperature near freezing in the northwest portion Wednesday night; colder Thursday.

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## REJECT DEBATE MOVE

### Modernization of Stores Is Urged by Local Chamber

Campaign to Be Launched in Hope Friday by C. of C.

FREE TALKING FILM Demonstrations of Modern Store Fronts Will Be Shown

Modernize Main Street!

That is to be the battle cry of the Hope Chamber of Commerce starting Friday, February 18, and continuing until every merchant and business in town takes up the challenge and remodels his store front and redecorates his store interior.

To open this campaign to beautify Hope's business section, there is to be a talking picture show at Hotel Barlow on the evening of Friday, February 18, which will be free to all merchants and business men interested in learning of this program to increase the profits and enhance the value of their property.

This film is a short and complete picture of what other towns and cities have accomplished in modernizing their "Main Streets."

There will be pictures of store fronts and show windows before and after modernizing with several testimonials from business men with reference to the cost and the results in increased business.

A special store front consultant will accompany the showing of the film and will conduct an "open forum" to answer questions, etc., after the picture.

The Chamber of Commerce has made special effort to persuade the famous Pitten Store Front Caravan to stop in Hope for a day during the week of March 1 which is enroute East after a successful nationwide tour which lasted over a year.

It is planned to have these small model store fronts complete in every detail, on display at some convenient spot down town so that merchants may visit them during the day. This Pitten Caravan consists of large trucks displaying 12 small model store fronts and carrying a crew of experts to explain features of design and remodeling.

Every merchant is urged to attend these showings in an effort to do his share in modernizing "Main Street."

Revenue Agent Is Returned to Duty

State Commission Rules in Favor of Ira Golden of Searcy

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The State Civil Service Commission ruled Wednesday that Ira J. Golden of Searcy, state revenue department auditor staff member, had been improperly discharged last November 15, and "therefore was and is at present an employee of the department."

Golden said he would report to the Revenue department at once for duty. State Personnel Director Kenneth O. Warner said under the commission's ruling he supposed "Golden is entitled to his back pay for the period he was laid off."

Michelangelo, famed painter and sculptor, was born on March 6, 1474.

### MIND Your MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If two couples are double-dating, is it courteous for the two girls to spend most of the time talking to each other?

2. Is it good manners for a girl to tell a man what a good time she had the night before with another man?

3. When a man and woman are dining together, does she give her order directly to the waiter?

4. Is loud laughter a sign of good breeding?

5. Is it good usage to say, "Permit me to assist you?" What would you say if you have just sneezed?

(a) "I'm sorry?" (b) "Pardon me?" (c) "Excuse me, please?"

Answers

1. No. 2. No—and poor technique besides! 3. No. 4. No. 5. No. Use the less stilted, "May I help you?"

### A Juvenile "Gallery" at Blevins Basketball Games Razzes the Cameraman--- So He Fires This "Candid Shot" at Them



Attention Blevins and north Hempstead county: Here's a picture that has been kicking around The Star office for more than a month waiting to get itself published.

When The Star made its first photographing trip of the basketball season to Blevins January 7, we had such persistent "help" from a group of young rail-birds in the gallery that we had to find a way to get even with our grinning hecklers.

The best revenge, of course, was to take their picture red-handed. But that would be pretty difficult with the big press camera, because its flashlights, plate-holders, etc., make it so conspicuous.

However, we had carried with us Henry Haynes' Leica miniature, which is no bigger than a couple of packages of cigarettes; and its F2 lens shoots night pictures without a flashlight. We walked over to the gallery and banged away with the Leica.

The kids thought it was a bluff, but now they know they were wrong... for the cat's-eye lens of the German camera reaches into the dark gallery and pictures a row of youngsters giving the press the Bronx cheer.

The ring-leader is that cocky gent with the cap, second from the left. He's just made a wise-crack and the small girls are laughing... The original picture was a single "frame" of 35 mm. motion picture film, measuring about one by one-and-a-half inches. The published photo is a five-time enlargement. Exposure was 1/20th second at F2 on Agfa Ultra-Speed film.

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### Filibuster Now Enters 28th Day; Relief Vote Near

Motion to Limit Debate on Anti-Lynch Bill Is Defeated, 46-42

ARMY RESERVE BILL Proposal to Increase Regular U. S. Army and Officers

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The senate rejected Wednesday a motion for limiting debate on the anti-lynching bill. The vote was 46 against to 42 for limitation, which under the senate rules requires two-thirds favorable vote.

Defeat of the motion left unchanged the status of the filibuster against the measure, now entering the 28th day. Opponents of the bill predicted it would be shelved soon as the result of the vote Wednesday.

House leaders predicted the passage of the \$250,000,000 relief appropriation measure by nightfall.

The house military committee approved Wednesday bills to re-establish an army reserve of 75,000 enlisted men, and to increase by 2,000 the authorized number of regular army commissioned officers at 14,689.

The naval affairs committee heard Representative Scott, (Dem. Calif.) say this government should recognize the possibility of concerted efforts by Germany, Italy and Japan to spread Fascism to the United States.

### Heavy Rains Send Three Rivers Up

Arkansas to Go Two Feet Above Flood Stage at Fort Smith

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Swollen by heavy rains in Oklahoma and western Arkansas, the Arkansas river rose more than 10 feet during the last 24 hours, reaching a stage of 20 feet early Wednesday at Fort Smith.

The weather bureau forecast that the river would rise to 24 feet at Fort Smith by Friday, two feet above flood stage.

The weather bureau also predicted a rapid rise for White and Black rivers in northern Arkansas, forecasting peaks above flood stages at several points.

Fate of the state's fruit crop may depend on Wednesday night's temperatures and condition of fruit buds, agricultural officials said.

Excellent moisture in peach buds would be damaging to their chances of survival if the thermometer drops below 24 degrees, since a hard freeze of the tender buds would be more likely if moisture is present.

The amount of cold which the peach and apple crops will survive depends on varieties and local weather conditions, but concern for safety of the crop is felt by weather observers.

### Growth of Pine in Hope Area Is Told

Commercial Value of Various Sizes of Trees Is Explained

The commercial value of a 13-inch tree often is as much as 3 to 4 times greater than that of a 10-inch tree, James M. Case, project forester for the Hope Soil Conservation Service project told the 28 neophytes of the SCS who are attending the orientation short course which started here on February 7 to continue through February 23.

The technicians opened the ninth day's session with a field trip to co-operators' farms and to the agricultural experiment station to study woodland management practices.

The morning's observation and instruction was conducted by Mr. Paul T. Gillett, assistant regional forester for the SCS, with headquarters in Fort Worth, Texas, and Mr. Case.

From a survey of rate of growth of pine in the Hope project area, Mr. Case has found that approximately 22 years are required to produce an 8 inch diameter; 25 years a 9 inch tree; 29 years a 10 inch tree; 33 years an 11 inch tree; 37 years a 12 inch tree; 41 years a 13 inch tree; 46 years a 14 inch tree.

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Cotton

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—New Orleans March cotton opened Wednesday at 8.94 and closed at 8.96.

Spot closed steady and five points up, middling 9.12.



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## White, at 70, Tosses a Kiss to the Future

WHEN William Allen White, the famed Emporia editor, was  
65, he wrote: "Lady Luck has been good to me. I fancy  
she is good to every one, only some people are dour, and when  
she gives them the comethither with her eyes they look down  
or turn away and lift a neyebrow. But me, I give her the wing  
and away we go."

And now, at his 70th birthday (Feb. 10.), the Kansas  
sage is still giving Lady Luck the wink, for Lady Luck to  
William Allen White is the world and all its precocities.  
He has lived almost all his life in Emporia where he was born,  
yet no figure in newspaper life has ever gained a greater or  
a wider fame. He began "speaking his mind" through his  
editorials before he was 30; he has been doing it since and  
that mind has never been bound by the limits of Emporia. He  
has liked to think of himself as a little bit crazy, for he al-  
ways held that there was no insanity in a man's life so de-  
vastating as utter sanity. "Logic," wrote White, "is an addic-  
tion that drives men into acute melancholia and makes dumb  
bunnies of its devotees."

IF William Allen White is insane then this country needs  
more dementia. A staunch Republican, he has broken with  
his party only when that organization became, in his views,  
too sane. He fought for Theodore Roosevelt and against  
Franklin Roosevelt, and when the latter won, wrote:

"We are going on a great new adventure. . . . The dam  
gave way which has been slowly filling for 40 years, fed by  
the waters of Bryanism, of La Pollette's Wisconsin insurgen-  
cy . . . the waters of the New Deal cover the earth."

White's faith in Kansas and the United States has  
marked his writing, but simpler things than politics more  
often take his attention. He prefers to write placid, quizzical  
editorials on the town drunkard, a quarrelling married  
couple, a girl in trouble, or the roast that wouldn't brown  
properly. He is the epitome of Main Street, if Main Street  
means the everyday things of life in the everyday fashion of  
meeting them.

At 65 Editor White remarked that he was giving the past  
a shameless, characteristic gesture, while he threw kisses at  
the future. After 70 he will probably continue to toss his  
kisses as long as he has a Kansas-bred arm to raise and a  
world in audience.

## Kansas Conquers Dust

PLAGUED with drought and depression, dust storms and  
even floods, the Kansas wheat farmer has stayed by his  
tormented acres through seven lean years and now he is about  
to win his battle.

Four years ago the Kansas wheat land was a choked,  
blinded bowl of dust. Farmers looked out of windows through  
which gritty earth sifted and saw their crops, their soil, and  
their hopes swirling skyward with the black blizzard. For  
three previous years they had looked heavenward in search of  
rain and found none, while depression cut the price of what  
small crops they could raise.

Then in 1937 on the land they had reclaimed by methods  
hurriedly learned, the Kansas wheat farmers produced one of  
the biggest crops of a decade, nearly 175 million bushels. Six  
million acres subject to dust storms had been reduced to  
something over two million.

The Kansas farmer has come back because, as one re-  
marked: "It's been rough going but we can stand it. No one  
knows how to quit out here."

# The Family Doctor

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By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of  
Byzeta, the Health Magazine.

## Insidious Leukemia Often Develops Before Victim Knows He Is Ill

Our knowledge of the intimate char-  
acter of the blood is a matter of fairly  
recent development.

For instance, the condition called  
leukemia, which represents a vast sur-  
plus of white blood cells in the blood,  
was first described scientifically in  
1845 when Virchow, most famous of  
German pathologists, and Hughes Ben-  
net, an Englishman, observed that the  
blood in people dying of leukemia con-  
tained more white blood cells than nor-  
mal. In fact, one case may appear in  
every thousand patients who come to  
a hospital. However, because of its  
serious and usually fatal character, it  
attracts far more attention than many  
common diseases.

Recently, however, it has been discovered  
that the disease in chickens  
has discovered a serum which might  
also be useful in human beings. The  
exact evidence in favor of the useful-  
ness of this serum in human beings is,

however, so slight that it has not been  
accepted by the medical profession as  
a useful method of treatment.

The exact cause of this condition is  
not known. It is like a tumor because  
of a tremendously rapid overgrowth  
of cells. It also has certain elements  
which make it look like an infection.  
The fact that the condition may be  
transferred from one chicken to an-  
other by the injection of the blood of  
an infected animal into another animal  
makes it seem possible the disease  
may be caused by one of these organ-  
isms called viruses, so small they can-  
not be seen with the microscope.

Perhaps most serious of the factors  
in relationship to this condition is the  
fact that it develops insidiously. The  
person affected may not realize that  
he is ill until he begins to have a  
sense of weakness, weight, and drag-  
ging, bleeding from the gums and  
mouth, easy bruising, pallor and loss  
of weight. When the doctor examines  
the blood or when he feels the abdo-  
men to determine the size of the  
spleen, he can determine promptly that  
something serious is wrong.

In the treatment of this condition at  
present there seems to be some benefit  
after the use of radium or the X-ray  
applied directly to the enlarged glands  
and to the spleen. Far more important  
is a continuous study of this con-  
dition in research laboratories so that  
eventually exact knowledge may bring  
about an understanding of the factors  
in its cause and thus a more certain  
method of control.

## It's An Old Sport

NEW YORK.—(P)—The sport of  
horseshoe pitching is estimated to be  
2,500 years old.

## Measuring the Results of the Latest Peace Efforts





# Society

MRS. SID HENRY TELEPHONE 321

## Used Car

We saw it rattling down the street today,  
Lining a bit to starboard as of old,  
Coughing and bucking in the same old way—  
The ancient weather-worn sedan we sold.  
We saw that jagged scratch along the door,  
Where Bill disputed passage with a truck;  
That fender crumpled to avoid a duck  
Waddling as though he found his life in a huck.  
We saw the tarnished nickel, and the hood  
All rusty from the lash of wind and rain;  
The worn and booted tires; the rotting wood...  
I turned my eyes and did not look again.  
Our new car blew its horn to slither by.  
And then I touched Bill's arm and shook my head.  
So, slowing down—oh, you can fancy why—  
We let our old car make the light instead.—Selected.

Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst was the luncheon guest of Mrs. J. J. Battle in Fulton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norton, Mrs. George Sandefur, Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst and Mrs. Aline Johnson were Sunday visitors in Arkadelphia and Hot Springs.

The Bay View Reading club held its regular bi-weekly meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. White, North Louisiana street, with Miss Beryl Henry as joint hostess. A most beautiful arrangement of spring flowers, Thunbergia, jonquils and hyacinths brightened the reception suite.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Hugh Smith and following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, Mrs. W. W. Johnson was introduced as program leader for the Study of Contemporary American Women Educators. Mrs. Johnson led her program with a most interesting sketch of the life of Miss William Lawson, an Arkansas woman who has reached great heights in the educational program of her state and of her nation.

Miss Beryl Henry, who is recog-

nized as one of the leading women educators of her state and who ranks in the national organization gave most interesting facts in the life of Mary E. Woolly, who has recently resigned as president of Mount Holyoke college, calling attention to the many wonderful achievements of this remarkable woman Educator. Mrs. Ada Swicegood, in a very enthusiastic manner told of the wonderful work of Martha Berry, who is sometimes spoken of as the Joan of Arc of America, her great vision lending her work among the mountain boys and girls in her own vicinity, attracting national notice until she has reached the distinction of being ranked as one of the nations outstanding twelve women.

Mrs. Samuel Preston Davis whose particular line in education is the teaching of Parliamentary Laws, and who is also from Arkansas was discussed by Mrs. Johnson, who read a very appreciative letter from Mrs. Davis, who now resides in Little Rock, referring her to several schoolmates who reside in our city at this time; all in all, a most interesting study and a very informative program.

During the visiting hour the hostesses assisted by Mrs. O. A. Graves, Mrs. Eugene White and Mrs. Hatley White and Mrs. C. D. Lester served a most attractive salad course with tea. In which, the George Washington motif was very charmingly stressed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crane of Ozan announce the marriage of their daughter, Charlene to R. F. Yarbrough of Shreveport, La. The marriage was solemnized on Tuesday evening February 15th at the Methodist parsonage, with the pastor of the First Methodist church, Rev. Fred R. Harrison officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left via motor for a wedding trip to New Orleans, after which they will be at home in Shreveport, where Mr. Crane is connected with the Andress Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith are spending the next few days on a business trip to St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bacon motored to Shreveport Tuesday evening to attend the dinner style show of the Lee Dry Goods Co., at the Washington-Yuorco hotel.

Hope Chapter No. 328, O. E. S. will hold its regular meeting at the Masonic Hall Thursday evening at 7:30. At this time, Mrs. Valere Bates, deputy grand lecturer of District No. 8 will make her official visit. A full attendance is urged and visitors are welcome.

Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst had as Friday dinner guests at her home on West Division street, Superintendent and Mrs. J. L. Lieblich, Mrs. W. A. Abbot, Mrs. Bertha Newburn, and Miss Mary Jett Orton, all of Fulton.

The American Legion Auxiliary held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Luck on Broadway. This attractive new home was bright and cheery with a quantity of lovely spring flowers, at twelve members and one guest were present. Mrs. V. A. Hammond gave a very instructive program on the American Flag. During a short social hour, Mrs. Luck assisted by her co-hostess, Mrs. Cecil Weaver served delicious cherry pie with coffee.

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## Patmos PTA Holds February Session

Mrs. Berdin Simmons Presides at Session There February 3

The Patmos P-T. A. met in its regular monthly session Thursday night February 3, with Mrs. Berdin Simmons presiding. The number of attendees was not as great as usual, probably due to the prevailing epidemic of flu.

After the roll call and old business discussion a motion was made seconded and carried to build some concrete walks on the school ground. The walks are to be built in this order: one to begin at each side entrance and extend west to points parallel with the northeast corner of the gym, then a walk built in rainbow shape from one of these points to the other, thus connecting these two walks, then a double walk from the front entrance extending west and connecting with the front, or said rainbow-shaped walk. They are to be four feet wide.

The P-T. A. will sponsor a table for the senior boys county basketball tournament, which is to be held at the Patmos gym on Saturday, February 19. The same ladies were chosen to conduct the table, who were in charge of the table at the invitation tournament held here a few weeks ago.

The tenth grade had the greatest number of parents present.

We had with us three excellent speakers from Hope, Clifford Smith, county agent, Mr. Jackson from Hope High School and the home economics teacher of Hope High School. Each made a good talk, which was very much enjoyed.

## Anxiety Grows in

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battleships, the North Carolina and Washington, two aircraft carriers, the heavy cruiser, Wichita, seven light cruisers, 16 submarines, three 1850-ton destroyers, thirty-two 1500-ton destroyers, a seaplane tender and a destroyer tender.

The discussion of future naval strength continued on Capitol Hill, and at the White House, American defense experts believe, President Roosevelt said at a press conference, that the United States must have a navy strong enough to protect both Atlantic and Pacific shores.

He said the experts contended the United States could not ignore the possibility of a future attack from East and West.

He cited the consensus of defense experts after a reporter inquired whether he agreed on increase in Japan's naval ratio to the United States. He made no direct answer to the question. A suggestion that Great Britain be permitted to maintain a fleet larger than the United States went further into the records of a congressional committee.

## Parking

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side of the highway and of course, wherever a vehicle is parked the hand brake must be effectively set.

Another important provision in the parking regulations indicates clearance at intersections. Vehicles must not be parked too near fire hydrants and must not be parked within twenty feet of the cross walk at intersections and must not be parked closer than thirty feet of any traffic signal or stop sign.

Double parking is prohibited on both streets and highways. Many violations in cities and towns occur with the provision in respect to allowing proper clearance at intersections. The fact that vehicles parked too close to cross walks and too near stop signs and other regulatory signals contribute materially to the accident toll.

With these important facts in mind, many accidents can be eliminated.

Greatest risk of appendicitis, according to doctors, prevails during the second and third decades of life. The greatest number of cases affect people between 10 to 20.

## Here's Young Girl's Frock With Smart Feminine Lines

BY CAROL DAY

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## Bandit Suspect Is Killed by Officers

Pal of Slain Man Is Captured Near Denton, Texas

DENTON, Texas.—(P)—A posse of North Texas officers, cruising for suspects in a filling station robbery at Whitesboro, shot one man to death and captured another at Pilot Point Tuesday.

The officers sought to question the man as they drove up to a filling station. They said they fired when one of the men turned on them with a revolver. The man was struck in the head and chest.

Sheriff Dallas Curtisling of Denton county said the automobile had been stolen several days before by two men who robbed J. T. Barker of his keys and pocketbook in Muenster. Luther Biggers, filling station attendant at Whitesboro, identified the captured suspect as one of the two who robbed him Monday night.

The man, whom officers were attempting to identify, was taken to Gainesville by Cooke County Sheriff Luther McCollum, who said he would be charged with a robbery in Muenster several nights ago.

Charlie Taylor, identification expert of the Denton police department, was checking fingerprints of the slain man and his companion. Officers described the dead man as young, large and blond. They said the companion told them the slain man had come to Texas from Colorado. The suspect jailed, an older man, was believed to be a resident of a nearby community.

## Growth of Pine

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and 32 years to grow a 15 inch tree.

This survey was made by taking numerous borings to determine age and rate of growth on average pine sites. He listed these findings to show the need for waiting until near maturity before cutting.

By proper application of woodland management principles which include control of fire and discriminatory cutting, the farmer may realize greater commercial returns from his forests, Mr. Case explained. By waiting until a tree has reached its maximum growth before cutting, its suitability or market value is materially increased.

Mr. Case pointed out that pine trees have a saw log if larger, while the smaller trees often are not large enough to be converted to high grade lumber, but must be relegated to some less remunerative class of use in the line of forest products.

Mr. Gillett told the technicians that about 37 per cent of the farm land in the state of Arkansas is woodland and that cash income from forest products usually ranks about fourth in the list of cash income from farms.

The field trip was arranged to point out the value of woods and woodland management in a balanced farm program designed to conserve soil and water. On the cooperators' farms the group saw several woodland plots in which certain crop trees were marked for saw logs; where other trees of inferior grade were marked for cutting for the farmer's personal use to make room for the development of crop trees. These plots marked for woodland development are protected from grazing and are to be fenced from fire to insure an adequate cover to prevent water run-off and the subsequent loss of soil.

Instructors explained that the development of woodlands is only one phase of the coordinated and complete program of the Soil Conservation Service to keep soil and water on the land. Where adequate pastures already exist on farms, the practice of protecting woodlands from grazing, with a view to their commercial development is an economic step for the farmer.

At the experiment station the group observed stands of Black Locust, Osage Orange and Satalpa trees, visited a new forest planting of pine and saw a native woodland of mixed hardwood and pine now under management at the station.

Instruction in strip cropping, crop

## The 1938 Emmet Senior Boys Basketball Team



—Photo by Hope Star.

Back row, left to right—Charles Malone, Jewell Burke, Claude Thompson, Charles Gist.

Front row, left to right—R. E. Mahon, Wallace Wise.

Four of the "starting" five Emmet players were absent when The Star's photo was made, at the Prescott invitation tournament January 28. The four missing from the picture are: Edward Paul, Ed Hasley, Billy Keyenga, Joe Wesson.

## Youth Believed to Have Killed Self

Note Is Found on Harahan Bridge—Search for Body Started

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—(P)—Rivermen were asked to be on the lookout for a body after the discovery of a note in a coat on the Harahan bridge.

A billfold contained a driver's license, identification cards and a Social Security card bearing the name of Woodrow Harris, 21, Jonesboro, Ark.

A note, written on a napkin with a pencil, and signed "Woody," asked "Dear mother, dad and kids: not to blame any one but me for what I've done."

C. E. Metcher, bridge watchman, said he heard a great splash in the river just below the bridge Tuesday morning.

"I ran to the bridge railing, but saw no one in the river—and found the coat," Metcher told Police Capt. Frank Glisson.

rotation, contour cultivation and cover crops was presented in city hall auditorium by Mr. W. M. Nixon, assistant regional agronomist with the SCS and Earl Thompson, project agronomist for the Hope project.

In Monday's meeting the group heard Ernest Johnson, project manager, and Clayton Carlton, junior biologist from the Mt. Pleasant, Texas, project.

Mr. Carlton stressed the importance of providing a haven for wildlife on farms as a possible commercial value to the farmer in addition to the need for the preservation of certain birds and small game now nearing extinction.

Mr. Johnson said that soil and water conservation practices involve a complete land utilization program designed to provide a means of deriving some benefit from every farm acre; to make farm operation economically successful for every farmer.

## Woman Is Killed, Husband Is Hurt

Fort Smith Woman Meets Death in Car Wreck Near Linden

LINDEN, Texas.—(P)—Mrs. R. Salisbury Walker of Fort Smith was killed and her husband, a real estate operator, suffered serious injuries when their car went into a ditch near here Tuesday.

Witnesses declared that Rogers Lacy, oil operator of Longview, Texas, was to blame for the accident and he was arrested on a charge of negligent driving. He was released on \$1,000 bond.

The witnesses said that Walker was driving his car slowly behind a negro driving a tea mof mules hitched to a wagon. A truck was approaching from the opposite direction. The witnesses said that Lacy drove his car violently into the rear of the Walker car.

Walker swerved his car in an effort to avoid hitting the wagon and lost control of it. Mrs. Walker's head was crushed between the car door and the side of the ditch and she died almost instantly.

Walker sustained severe back injury and also suffered from shock. He was removed to a hospital at Atlanta, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker were returning to Fort Smith from a vacation trip to Mexico.

Syrian bakers produce "bubble bread" in round, flat loaves, which look like astronomers' photographs of the moon. The bubbles are produced by a mysterious leavening mixed with the dough.

## First Five Years Said Be Hardest

35 Per Cent of Divorce Cases Arise During That Period

NEW YORK.—The first five years of married life in the United States seem to be the hardest, because in that period 35.7 per cent of all divorces are secured, according to statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

After the first five years, however, the proportion of divorces for each succeeding five-year period shows a decline, until divorces occurring after 20 years or more of married life represent only 10.1 per cent of the total. Taking all durations together, out of every 1,000 marriages, 164 end in divorce.

Of fifteen leading nations whose divorce records were studied by the statisticians, Bulgaria alone had a higher percentage of divorces than the United States in the first five years of marriage. The high Bulgarian figure of 65.8 per cent is offset, however, by the fact that the total number of divorces in that country is relatively insignificant—being only 27 per 1,000 marriages.

In the ratio of total divorces to marriages, regardless of duration of marriage, the American record of 164 per 1,000 exceeds that of any other country covered by the study. Austria came next to the United States with a proportion of 107 divorces to 1,000 marriages, while Switzerland followed with 99 per 1,000. The proportions in Germany and France were respectively 77 per 1,000 and 74 per 1,000. England and Wales considered together were the lowest on the list with a record of only 12 divorces for every 1,000 marriages.

For the proportion of divorces in marriages of long duration, New Zealand leads the list. Almost one-fifth of the divorces in that Dominion occur after 20 or more years of marriage, with nearly the same proportion prevailing in Sweden and Norway, as compared with about one-tenth in the United States and only one per cent in Spain.

In the general divorce situation in this country, the statisticians find some consolation in the fact that the marriage rate of 104 per 1,000 population is the highest of any of the countries studied, and that marriages disrupted after short duration "will often be childless ones, or at least will not involve the breaking up of a family with several children."

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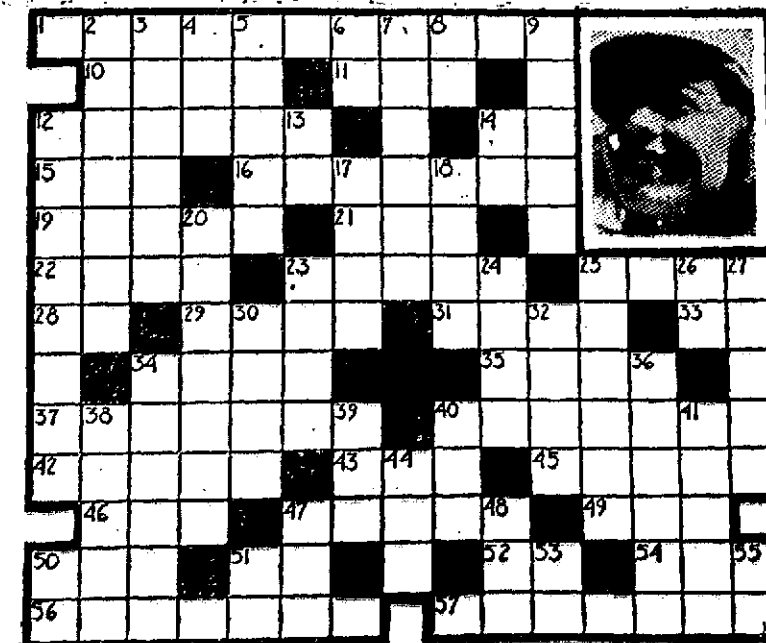
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- 11 Golf device.
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- 14 Musical note.
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- 19 Small transport boat.
- 21 Wing.
- 22 Otherwise.
- 23 Instigates.
- 25 Hair tool.
- 28 Like.
- 29 Writing tools.
- 31 Starch.
- 33 Morindin dye.
- 34 Nick.
- 35 Male children.
- 37 Rectified.
- 40 To punish.
- 42 Ladies.
- 43 English coin.
- 45 Ghastly.
- 46 Grazed.
- 47 To exchange.

## Answer to Previous Puzzle

MARCONI ITALIAN  
MAIMED FIGHTING  
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## VERTICAL

- 13 Sun god.
- 14 Myself.
- 17 Lock parts.
- 18 Guns.
- 20 Complained.
- 23 To put up an ante.
- 24 Girdle.
- 25 Government official.
- 26 Mother.
- 27 She is a tall girl.
- 30 Finishes.
- 32 Race end.
- 34 To behave.
- 36 Line of color.
- 38 Hostility to law.
- 39 Drone bee.
- 40 Vulgar fellow.
- 41 Sea duck.
- 44 Tatter.
- 47 2000 pounds.
- 48 Roof point covering.
- 50 Railroad.
- 51 Note in scale.
- 53 Form of "a."
- 55 Like.



## STORIES IN STAMPS

## Quiet Samoa Threats to Pacific Traffic



GENTLE voiced, easy living, the Samoans do not keep pace with the traffic of modern civilization. So the flight of the Clipper ships across their peaceful slands is a startling innovation. Light brown of color, splendid physique, simple, generous, hospitable, these Samoans gather in the beautiful harbor of Pago Pago bay to witness arrival and departure of the huge flying birds blazing a new trail between Australia and America.

Pago Pago (pronounced Pango Pango) is on rugged Tutuila, one of the six volcanic islands which compose American Samoa. It lies east of British Samoa's chain of eight islands. The harbor is really the bowl of an immense volcanic crater.

The Samoan native king ceded Pago Pago to the United States in 1878 for a naval and coaling station. It is 4180 miles from San Francisco, 2263 miles from Hawaii. By virtue of the tripartite treaty of 1899 with Great Britain and Germany, the whole of American Samoa was placed under the navy's control. The commandant of the naval station acts as governor, administering island affairs.

Chief product of the island group is copra. About 70 per cent of the land is forest. A stamp of Samoa, 1894 issue, is shown at the left.

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## Today's Answers to CRANIUM CRACKERS

Problem on Page One  
The court knew the will produced by Duke Atwood's widow was a forgery because it was dated Ridge City, July 2, 1934, and Duke was in Mill Center that day with the baseball team.

Plenty of Time  
LONDON.—(AP)—Much of the old still lives in modern London. Despite the fact that a nearby clock does the job quite well, an old night-watchman still calls out the hours of the night in Elyplace, a tiny dead end street in the heart of the city. Nightly from 10 until dawn he takes his cue from the neighboring clock and walks his little beat after the hour has struck, calling "past ten, past ten," or whatever the hour may be.

SHERIDAN, Wyo.—(AP)—Allen Fordyce, who lives high in the Big Horn mountains on a road that is snow-clogged most of the winter, thinks he has solved the transportation problem. To keep from being snow-bound, he acquired skis for the front wheels of his truck and mounted a tractor unit on the rear wheels. Thus the truck can skim over the deepest drifts at speeds of from 50 to 60 miles an hour.

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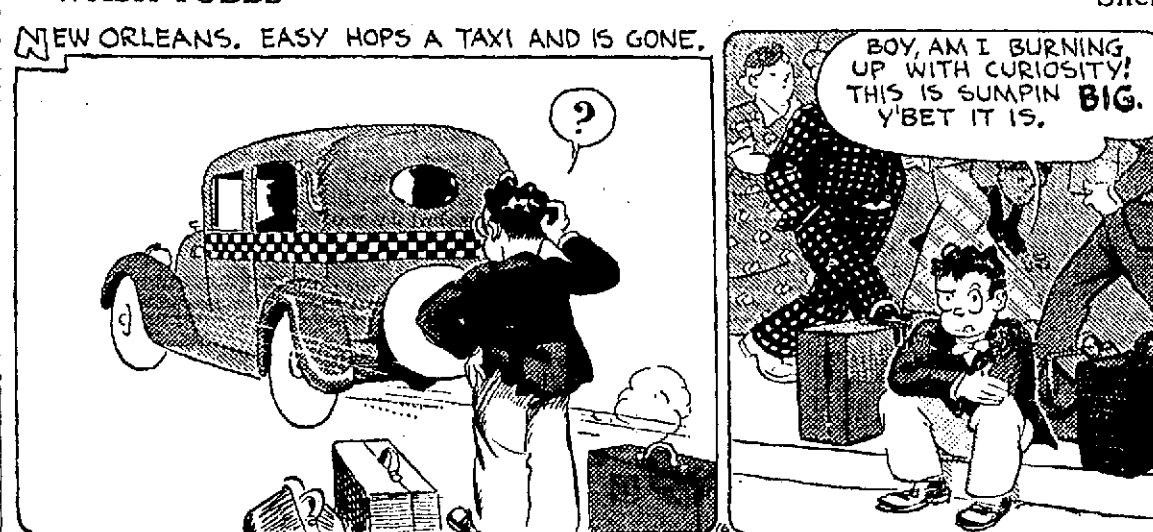
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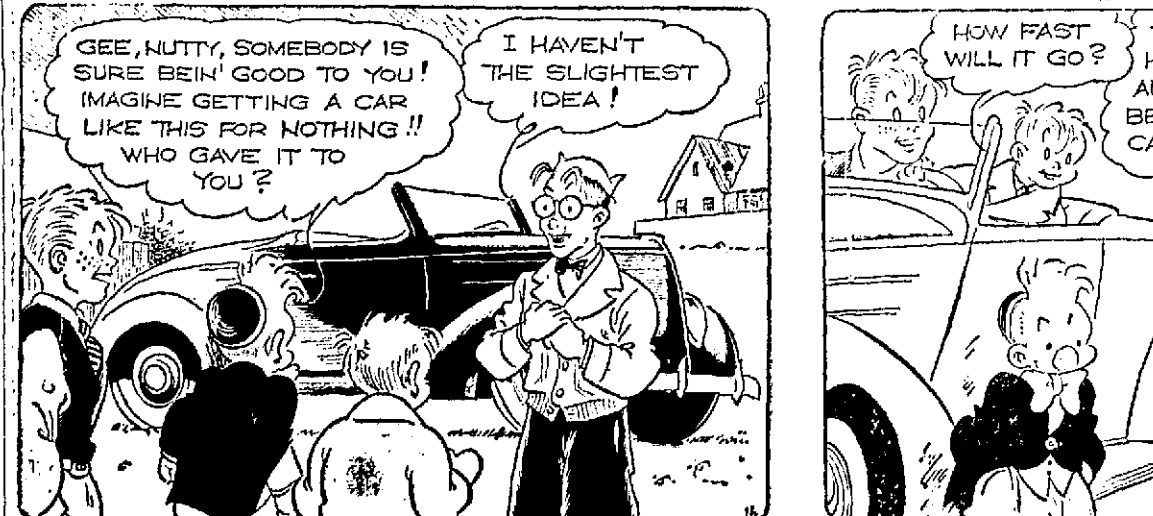
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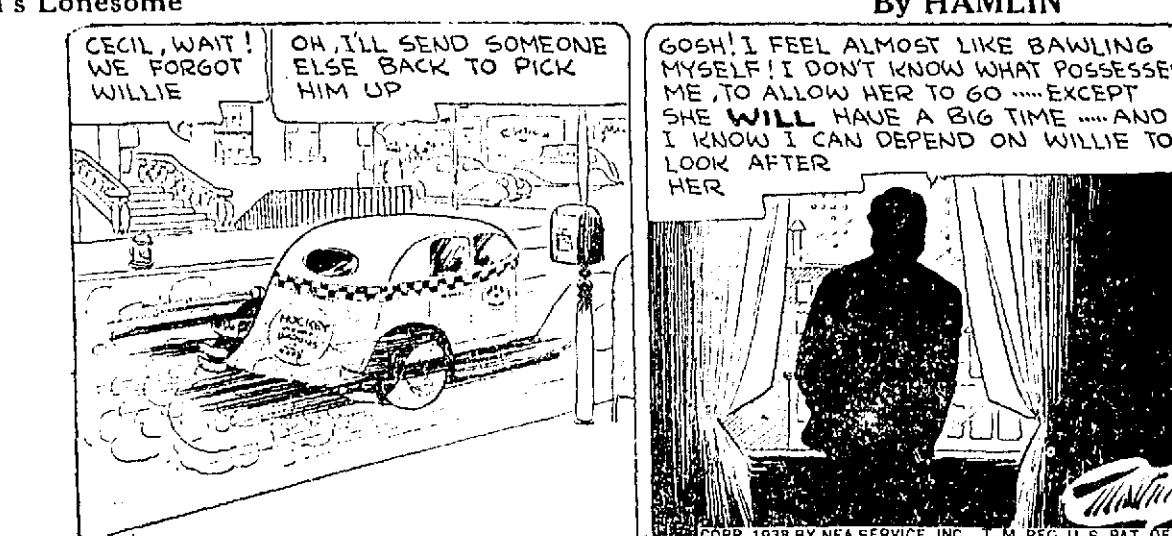
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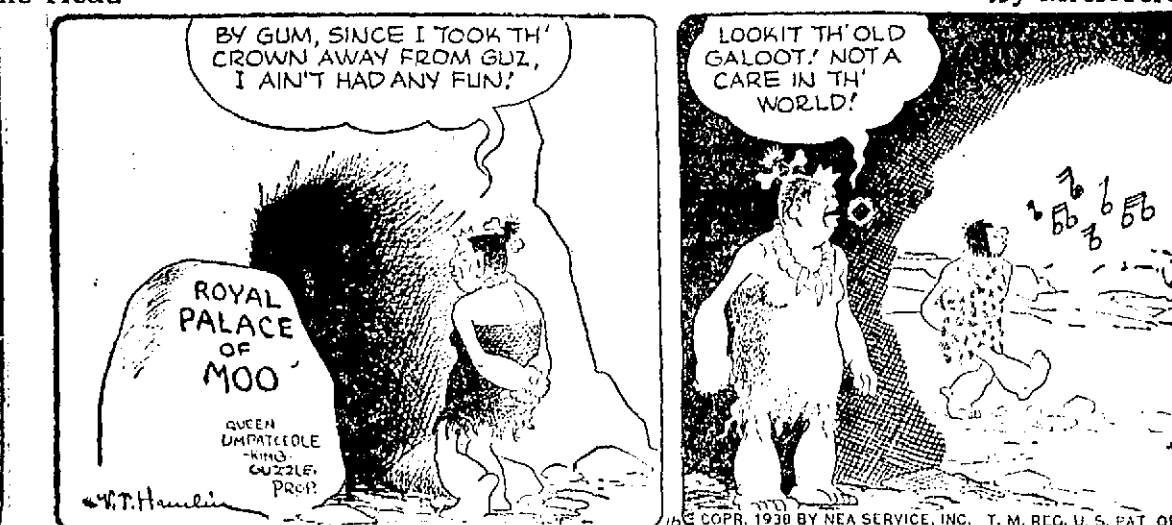
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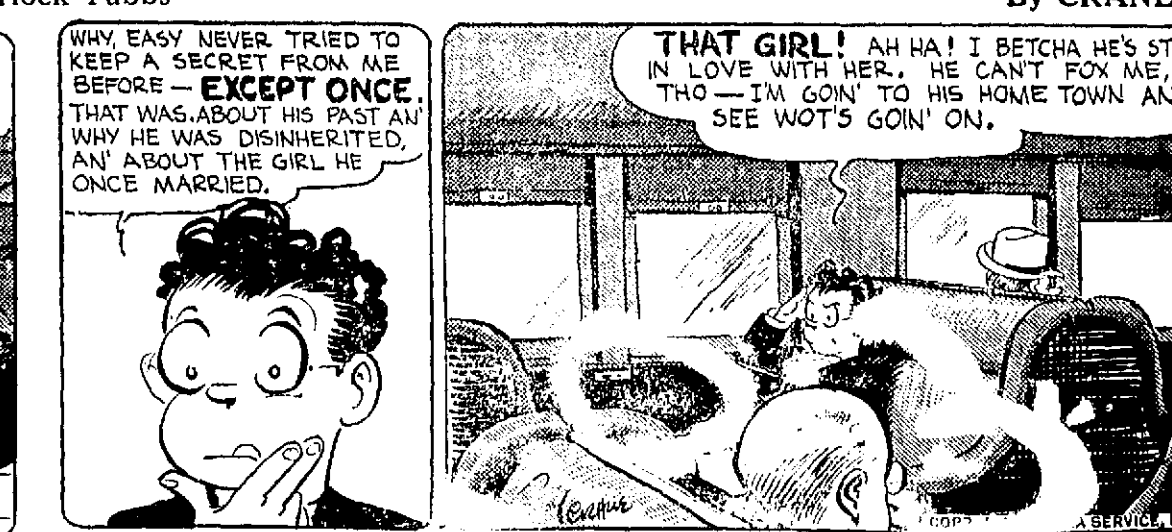
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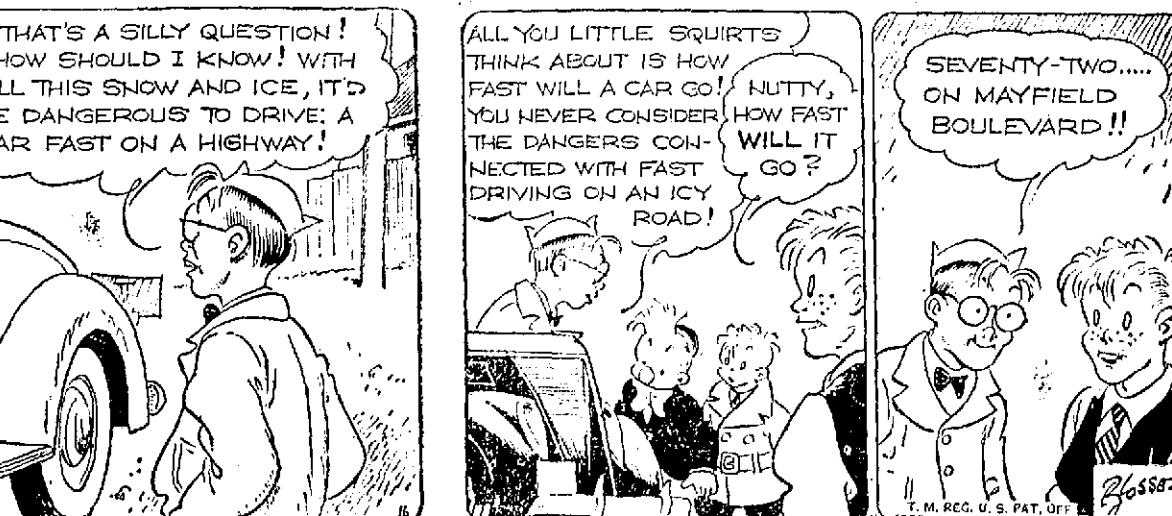
## Sherlock Tubbs

By CRANE



## Sh-h-h-hh!

By BLOSSER



## What Next?

By THOMPSON AND COLL





## Nevada Tourney at Bodcaw Saturday

Junior Boys and Girls Play—Wilson of Bearden to Officiate

The Nevada County Cage Tournament for junior girls and boys will be held at Bodcaw, Saturday, February 19.

The Emmet and Willisville junior girls teams look as favorites, while the junior boys teams of the county seem to be well matched.

Laneburg junior boys have defeated such strong teams as Blevins, Hempstead county champions and Rosston.

Bodcaw has defeated Patmos and other strong teams. Emmet junior boys have split a four game series with Laneburg Central and have defeated Cale and the strong Guernsey Juniors.

Emmet and Willisville junior girls teams are undefeated this season. Coach Ewing Wilson of Bearden High School will officiate.

### Girls Opening Games

Willisville vs. Bodcaw.  
Rosston vs. Emmet.  
Cale vs. Prescott.

### Junior Boys Games

Boughton vs. Laneburg.  
Falcon vs. Cecil.  
Emmet vs. Cale vs. by.  
Bodcaw vs. Willisville.  
Rosston vs. Prescott.

### Emmet Girls Win

EMMET, Ark.—The Emmet senior girls basketball team won its 22 victory Monday night by defeating the Guernsey girls by a score of 50 to 7.

The Emmet girls were content to merely pass the ball the first half and they maintained a lead of 10 to 0 at the halfway mark. The last half the Emmet regulars began a steady bombardment of the basket to score 40 points, the last half. Crab and Crank led the Emmet scoring with 19 and 14 points respectively.

The Emmet junior boys defeated the strong Guernsey junior team by a score of 16 to 9. Seal led the Emmet scoring with a total of 10 points. The entire Emmet team played a good defensive game. Rothwell of Guernsey played an excellent floor game in addition to scoring 4 points.

The Emmet senior boys lost a thrilling game with Guernsey by a score of 25 to 23. Boyce and Cox were outstanding for Guernsey, while Paul and Mahon played well for Emmet.

Rosston will play three games at Emmet Thursday night, February 17.

### Willisville Beats Fordyce

WILLISVILLE, Ark.—The strong team of Willisville Lions defeated Fordyce Saturday night. The game got off to a good start with Willisville throwing the first 20 points.

The score at the half was 33-6 favor of the Lions.

F. Thompson was high point man for the Lions with 14 points. N. Simpson next highest with 9 points. The final score was 46-17 to the Lions credit.

Patmos will play two games here Wednesday night, senior boys and senior girls.

## Sports of All Sorts

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Buddy Myer, Senator infidel, hunts hipkins. Every one found, he believes, means a hit.

Knows His Nouns  
CHICAGO—Lou Gordon, tackle for the Green Bay Packers, is teaching

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## REMEDIED WITH MIRRORS



Joe Stripp, right, St. Louis Cardinal infielder, uses a mirror to correct batting faults of diamond hopefuls at a baseball school in Orlando, Fla.

## Players No Longer Laugh at Mr. Rickey's Blackboard Baseball

Old and Young Athletes Listen Now—School Puts Recruits on the Right Track and Also Is Big Aid to the Veterans

By HARRY GRAYSON  
Sports Editor, NEA Service

When Branch Rickey managed the St. Louis Browns in 1913, 14, and 15, the Cardinals from 1919 to '25, veteran players laughed at his blackboard baseball.

"They didn't consider book learnin' necessary, and Rickey's insistence at stuffing it down their throats contributed to his frank failure as a field marshal. The director of the far-flung Red Bird system, now the most important man in the game, was 20 years ahead of his time.

But old and young athletes listen to Rickey now, and with the baseball school business booming, B. R. is putting on the most elaborate one ever conducted by a major league organization at Winter Haven, Fla., February 21 to March 19. With the aid of 26 assistants, Rickey hopes to correct the faults of about 100 prospects.

"They've been playing baseball since 1839, but Tris Speaker says that he learns something new practically every time he visits a park. The Gray Eagle, who two years ago acted as a professor at the Ray L. Don school at Hot Springs, asserts that these spring institutions serve a purpose if for no other reason than that they discourage the youngster who simply isn't cut out to be a ball player.

"And they put the recruit of promise on the right track," Speaker points out.

"I recall straightening out one long-legged kid at Hot Springs. He took such a long stride that the only place he possibly could have hit a high ball was in a night club. I shortened his stride . . . showed him the position of his hitting zone. It wasn't long before he was posting the ball for magnificent distances."

**Room for Instruction in Minor Leagues**  
It sometimes is amazing how little players are taught in the minors, and Speaker suggests that the majors se-

lect old-time major leaguers fitted for the work, and distribute them around the smaller circuits as instructors.

Bob Feller had no minor league experience when he broke in with the Cleveland Indians, but had pitched considerable amateur and semi-professional ball of the better variety. Yet Feller hadn't the slightest idea of how to stand on the rubber. He had no move to first base, so the opposition ran him wild. A bit of preliminary instruction, and the Iowa farm boy would have been even more phenomenal from the outset.

Rickey's strike zone will be worked overtime at Winter Haven. A rectangle of twine is formed with the support of standards on either side of the plate. The contraption is essential to both pitching and hitting. It is the pitcher's job to throw into his zone. Rickey wants him to get that imagination zone firmly fixed in his mind.

"If you look at an electric light for some time," explains Rickey, "and then close your eyes you will still see the light plainly enough."

**Rickey Seeks to Make Outfielder a Catcher**  
Rickey developed the control of Bill James and Wee Willie Sherdel in this manner. His star pupil this spring will be Ray Harrell.

The strike zone also helps to cure a batter from swinging at bad balls. Rickey is to make another interesting experiment. With catchers scarce, he is going to try to make one of Outfielder Don Padgett.

George Harold Sisler was a pitcher, but Rickey handed him a half dozen first baseman's gloves the day he reported to the Browns, and told him to take his pick.

Chick Hafey was a pitcher when he joined the Cardinals, but Rickey sent him into the outfield the first time he saw him swing a bat.

Branch Rickey's blackboard methods were too successful not to prevail.

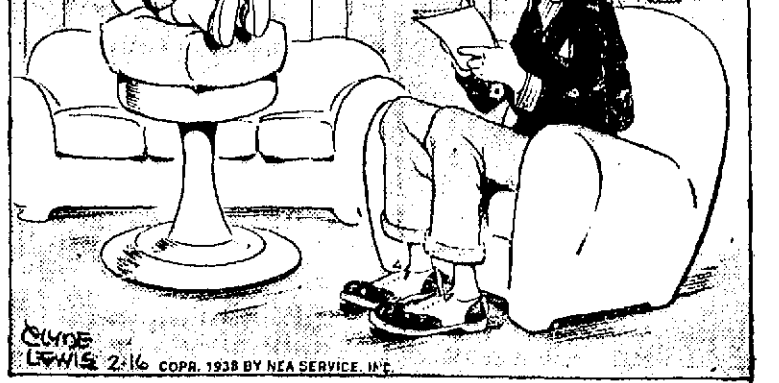
**English in Lane Tech High School.**  
Anything but Food  
PITTSBURGH—Honus Wagner attended 362 banquets and luncheons during 1937.

French railroads now are operating more fast trains than can be found in any other continental country of Europe.

**Boom in Winter Sports**  
ESTES PARK, Colo.—(AP)—A big boom in the winter sports business is on, says Walter Finn, chief ranger in Rocky Mountain National Park.

On a recent week-end there were 1,256 sports fans registered in the park. "That was more persons than visited the park during the entire month of January last year," Finn said.

**Hold Everything!**



"You can tell my public the price of fame in this racket is too great!"

## Hempstead Home Agent Melva Bullington

Recreation Program

There is nothing like a good community recreation program to cure the "nowhere to go and nothing to do" disease that is likely to strike young people, and older people, too, in the spring time.

Real community spirit and co-operation demand some place to go and something for them to do together, says Miss June Donahue, extension specialist in community activities, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture. Some planned recreation for the community may be the solution to the problem.

Active and interested community leaders are needed to work at the job of building up community spirit. A survey of the entire community for recreational facilities is a good start, Miss Donahue suggests. An adequate gathering place is necessary, so the best arrangements possible should be made for a community center. This may involve using the school or church for community meetings, or the repairing of an abandoned building. If no existing building is suitable, a club house is a fine investment for any community.

"The rest is easy," says Miss Donahue. "There are so many things to do, things that will knit the community together into a true cooperative group, things that will make for a better social life for rural people. Forums, celebrations, community sings, dramatics, banquets and parties will supply the something to do. Camps and picnics may be planned for the warmer seasons in inviting spots selected and improved for this purpose."

"Interested community boosters should be sure that they are really making use of all available facilities for recreation in their locality and then plan a broad recreational program for the year," she suggests.

### The "Early Bird"

The "early bird" is the profitable one, according to the experiences of Hempstead county poultry producers.

The greater expense for heating during winter and early spring brooding is a minor factor when compared to the profits of early hatched chicks, according to S. A. Moore, extension poultryman, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture.

The chicks are generally stronger and more resistant to parasites and diseases and they usually grow faster and reach maturity more quickly.

The best time for hatching will vary with the breed of chickens grown and the purpose for which they are grown, the poultryman points out. Broilers should be placed on the market early if they are to bring the best prices, since those hatched after the first of April usually sell at lower prices.

Chicks grown for egg production should be hatched with the view of bringing them into production at a season when eggs are highest. White Leghorns and similar breeds mature more rapidly than such breeds as Rocks, Reds, and Wyandottes. Consequently, the Leghorns may be hatched later. Pullets maturing in September or early October are usually the most profitable.

Leghorns hatched in April and other breeds hatched a month or so later reach maturity about the proper time, Mr. Moore says. Birds hatched much earlier than this are apt to molt in the fall and the advantage of early hatching will be lost.

### Year's Food Supply

Menus for a year ahead will be decided this spring by home demonstration club women of Hempstead county, who believe in planning the year's food supply ahead of time.

At least sixty members will carry food supply demonstrations this year and a great many others are making plans for producing as much food as possible on the farm this year.

A food supply plan for the year is always important, but according to the outlook for 1938 it is probably more necessary than ever this year, declares Miss Gertrude E. Conant, extension nutritionist, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture. Since income from farm products is likely to be lower than in 1937, every effort must be made to make the farm supply the family living if an adequate diet is to be maintained.

Some of the staples which must be purchased have declined slightly in price, including flour, rice, and other processed cereals. With a "year-round" garden, and a carefully filled canning basket, a poultry flock to supply the eggs, the family cow to supply milk and butter, and arrangements made to grow the meat at home, farm families will fare well during 1938, in spite of lowered prices, declares Miss Conant.

### Tokio

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cooley visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Cooley at Highland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McLarty and little son, George Edwin, spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. McLarty.

Mrs. Onstead and Dewey Hendrix of Hope were assessing taxes here Wednesday of last week.

Hayne Hutchinson of Mt. Pleasant was here on business Wednesday.

Ed Harris left Saturday for England, Ark., to make his home.

Granville Stewart left Sunday for England, Ark., to visit the family of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart.

Mrs. Harold Higgins returned to her home at Hot Springs Saturday. Mrs. Higgins had been confined to her bed with measles for several days.

Dilly Porterfield of Mt. Pleasant was in Tokio Wednesday on business.

J. L. Carnelison and W. W. Fortfield were in Tokio on business Wednesday.

The baluchitherium, the largest mammal that ever walked the earth, weighed twice as much as the largest elephant.

## Clark Believes White Will Turn Grid Pro

DETROIT—Dutch Clark, who coached Byron (Whizzer) White in high school, believes Colorado's All-American back will turn pro after all, and play with the Pittsburgh Pirates, rather than take advantage of his Rhodes Scholarship.

"Although White is having a lot of pressure put on him by college officials and friends, he is thinking in practical terms," says the quarterbacking coach of the Detroit Lions.

"White's family is in ordinary circumstances. He wants to study and practice law, and to accept the Rhodes Scholarship means a delay of two years before his education is completed. He could play pro ball and study law at the same time.

"And don't forget the \$15,000 Pittsburgh has offered him."

### Oak Grove

Bro. Stonecipher filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. Sparks spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Less Purdie and family.

Mrs. Le Collier spent Saturday with Mrs. Bonnie Jones.

Mrs. Willie Putman and children spent Sunday afternoon with her father, H. M. Ross.

Bro. Stonecipher was the dinner guest of E. E. Mabley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ross spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collier and family spent Sunday with their brother at Stamps.

Bro. Burl Ross spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Cumbie of Green Lasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Allen spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Dora Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ross spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sanders of Centerville.

Barbara Ann Ross spent Saturday night with Wreath Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sommerville of Hope called on Mr. and Mrs. Sid Skinner and family Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Jewell Till spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ross.

Miss Rena Nell Mullins spent Saturday night with Marie Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gunn spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Langston spent Sunday with her parents of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones.

### War On Republicanism

BELFAST, Northern Ireland.—(AP)—Northern Ireland vigorously continues its war on Republicanism within its borders.

Police have almost unlimited powers to deal with political suspects under the government's drastic Special Powers act.

Offenses under the act include the flying of Eric's tricolor, wearing a buttonhole Republican emblem, reading Republican journals in trolley-cars and singing Eric's anthem, "The Soldier's Song."

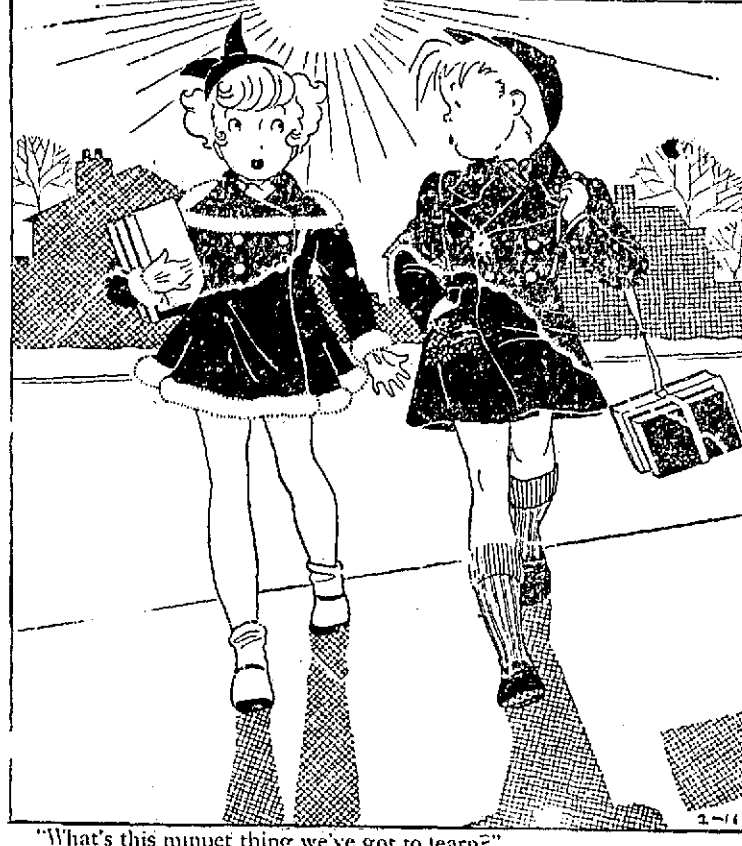
## Gone: 1400 Acres of Dream Stuff



Farmers who planted 1400 acres to hemp along the Rio Grande near Raymondville, Texas, didn't know that the habit-forming drug marihuana, may be gathered from hemp during certain stages of its growth. U. S. Customs agents ordered the crop plowed under last year. Seeds carried by the wind resowed the fields, however, and another plowing under was necessary. Customs agents are shown above supervising the job.

## FLAPPER FANNY By Sylvia

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"What's this muckety thing we've got to learn?" "Kinda like the Big Apple, only there's no chance to do your specialty."

## List of Grid Officials for Southwest Named

WACO, Texas.—(AP)—The list of assignments for Southwest Conference football officials for the 1938 season as announced here Tuesday night by President Henry Trantham of the conference includes:

Oct. 1—T. C. U. vs. Arkansas. Referee, Viner; umpire, Mahan; field judge, Bushman; headlinesman, Moore.

Oct. 8—Baylor vs. Arkansas. Referee, Old; umpire, Jones; field judge, Haskins; headlinesman, Moore.

Oct. 15—Arkansas vs. Texas. Referee, Bell; umpire, Allen; field judge, St. Clair; headlinesman, Old.

Oct. 29—Arkansas vs. Texas A. and M. Referee, Curtis; umpire, Minten; field judge, Moon; headlinesman, Ettinger.

Nov. 5—Rice vs. Arkansas. Referee, Bell; umpire, Higgins; field judge, Bushman; headlinesman, Old.

Nov. 12—S. M. U. vs. Arkansas. Referee, Viner; umpire, Moon; field judge, Hawn; headlinesman, Ettinger.

**Practice to Start February 28**  
FAYETTEVILLE, Ark.—Spring football practice at the University of Arkansas will start Monday, February 28. Coach Fred Thomsen announced Tuesday. Milan Creighton, former Razorback captain and now coach of the Chicago Cardinals of the National Professional League, will assist Thomsen during the 30-day session.

Creighton is attending the university this semester. He assisted Thomsen, his high school coach at Goshen, Neb., in last spring's Razorback drill.

Lighthouses usually are spared by the enemy in times of war.

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Right: Officials presenting the cup to owner and driver of the record-making Ford V-8.

If you're looking for proof of Ford V-8 gasoline economy, here it is in black and white—

COMPETING in this year's Gilmore-Yosemite Economy Run, held under strict A.A.A. supervision, a stock 1938 Thrifty "60" Ford V-8 Sedan made an average of 28.85 miles per gallon of gasoline! In hanging up this record, the Ford V-8 not only won first place in its price class, but also made the best miles-per-gallon showing of 23 cars, comprising all entrants at its price or above! Only 10.9 gallons of gasoline were used for the entire 314.5-mile run.



This sensational record bears out the experience of hundreds of owners who have reported 22 to 27 miles per gallon of gasoline with the Thrifty "60" Ford V-8 in every day use. In dramatic fashion it proves again that here is the most economical Ford V-8 ever built—and one of the thriftiest cars on the road today, regardless of price! Your Ford Dealer invites you to see and drive the smarter, more luxurious 1938 edition of this great economy car.

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A Good Shirt for Boys

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**SHIRTS**  
Good cut, fast color  
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Our best shirts, \$1.49 values.  
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Regular 79c Shirts, fast colors,  
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**49c**  
A SPECIAL BUY  
One Group Men's Shirts  
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10c Value

**5c**

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Women's  
House  
Shoes  
Special

**39c**

Children's  
Print

Dresses

**49c**

Children's  
Shoes  
\$1.29 Value

**98c**

Men's  
Covert

Shirts

**39c**

LIZARD  
Striped

Overalls

\$1.49 Value

**98c**

Children's  
Shoes

\$1.69 Value

**\$1.49**

Ladies! Here Is Your New  
**SPRING HAT**



**89c**

A special value for the  
Sale. Brims, Off-the-  
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**PRINCESS  
SLIPS**

These Are Sale Specials

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98c Value

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**SHEETING**

Heaviest Grade

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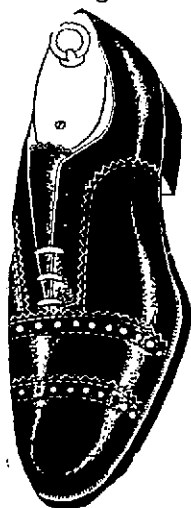
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**\$1.98**

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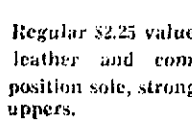
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All Colors  
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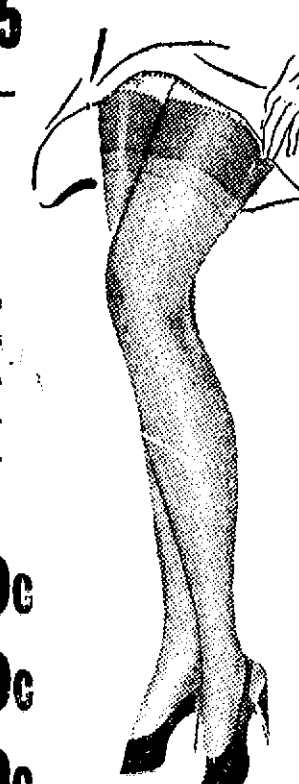
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